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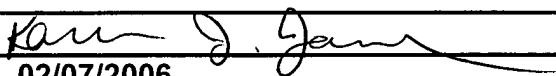
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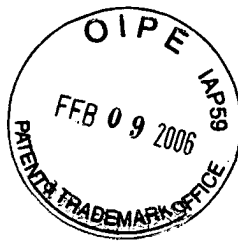
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Dear Sir:

Applicants' attorney would like to thank the Examiner for the telephone conversation on November 21, 2005. During that conversation, we discussed WO95/35153 and the instant application. We thank the Examiner for his time and would like to inform the Examiner that Applicants are concurrently filing a continuation application.

Respectfully submitted,

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